

NOTE

Bayeriola Gagné, new name for *Bayeria* Rübsaamen 1914 (Diptera: Cecidomyiidae),
preoccupied by Fritsch 1905 (Pisces)

Bayeria Rübsaamen (1914, Marcellia 14: 97), a genus of Palearctic gall midges (see Skuhrová, 1986: 140 of Family Cecidomyiidae, in Soós and Papp, eds., Catalogue of Palearctic Diptera, Vol 4, Akadémiai Kiadó, Budapest), is preoccupied by *Bayeria* Fritsch (1905: 11, in Fritsch and Bayer, Neue Fische und Reptilien aus der Böhmisches Kreideformation, Prague), erected for a Cretaceous species of fish. *Bayeria* Rübsaamen must be renamed, so I propose *Bayeriola* NEW NAME as a replacement.

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